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Re: Application of: Ahrens et al.
Serial No.: 10/755,844
Filed: January 12, 2004
For: Method for Fabrication of a
Contact Structure
Group Art Unit: 2823
Examiner: Belur V. Keshavan
Our Docket No.: 1890-0037

TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | |
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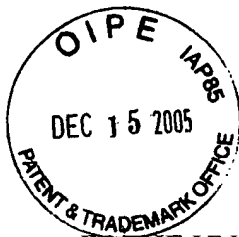
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 12, 2005 for the above-identified
patent application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this document.